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(54) **SETTING METHOD/DEVICE FOR COMMUNITY BROADCAST CHANNEL**

(57) Abstract:

PURPOSE: To eliminate the need of the input of a community code, to eliminate the need of filling the community code into a manual, to reduce a trouble required for a guide channel setting operation and to improve the operation by of a user.

CONSTITUTION: A broadcast channel which is read by an automatic search operation by a preset operation means 2 is collated with pattern data of the broadcast channels of respective communities, which are previously stored in a broadcast channel pattern information storage means by individual communities 3 for a unit. Thus, the pattern of broadcasting, which is read, is specified, and channel data adjusted to the community is automatically preset again for the channel position of a station selection means 1. Thus, the community broadcast channel can automatically be set without inputting the community code.

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